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Application No. 10/616,315	Filing Date July 9, 2003	Examiner Shantese L. MCDONALD	Customer No. 27215	Group Art Unit 3723
Invention: METHOD FOR MOUNTING A TIRE ON A RIM				
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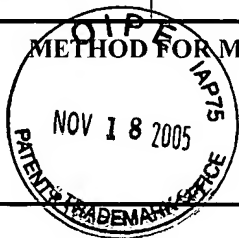
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In Re Application Of: **Richard ABINAL**

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10/616,315	July 9, 2003	Shantese L. MCDONALD	27215	3723	1878

Title: **METHOD FOR MOUNTING A TIRE ON A RIM**



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- 3) Copy of Docket for USSN 10/616,315
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in the above identified application.

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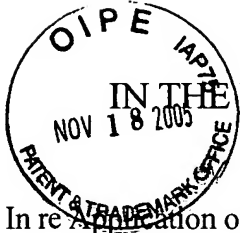
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PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT BASED
ON FAILURE TO RECEIVE OFFICE ACTION

Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sirs:

This is in response to the Notice of Abandonment mailed October 5, 2005.

Applicant hereby petitions the Director to withdraw the holding of abandonment in the above-titled application because the Office Communication mailed November 23, 2004 was not received.

The undersigned attorney states and attests that he has searched the file jacket of the application and has found no copy of the Office Communication or any indication that the Office Communication was received. In addition, the docket records were also searched and no entry has been found where it would have been entered had the Office Communication been received. Docket entries are made, as a matter of office routine, upon receipt of mail.

The office for the undersigned keeps an electronically managed docket. A copy of this docket for the date February 23, 2005, three months from November 23, 2004, and a copy of the docket for the date May 23, 2005, six months from November 23, 2004, has been printed and attached for review. These docket report printouts show that there was no docket entry made reflecting the three and six month deadlines for the November 23, 2004 Office Communication. Also

attached is a printout of the individual docket record for application no. 10/616,315. Please note that the docket for USSN 10/616,315 also shows that there were no docket entries made for the November 23, 2004 Office Communication or related three and six month deadlines.

In view of the above, the Director is requested to withdraw the holding of abandonment and re-mail the Office Communication, restarting the response period.

The Office is invited to telephone the undersigned if there are any questions or to resolve any outstanding issues.

Respectfully submitted,



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Date: November 18, 2005


SCHEDULE

Period from 23/FEB/2005 to 23/FEB/2005

File	Event	Reminder	Due date	Performed
P50-0083 US/NP	Response to office action		23/FEB/2005	01/NOV/2004
<div data-bbox="207 415 441 655" data-label="Image"> </div> <p><i>Comments:</i> This is the six month deadline. D & M sent a letter dated 09/16/2004 with OA attached. kgd 09/20/2004 D & M sent a letter dated 10/12/2004 with a draft copy of the Amendment in response to the OA. The deadline to the response is no later than 11/23/2004. kgd 11/01/2004 D & M sent letter dated 11/01/2004 enclosing a copy of an amendment AAC sent a response to Tim Williams on 11/01/2004 instructing D & M that the Amendment is acceptable and to please file by 11/23/2004. kgd 11/01/2004 Tim Williams sent letter dated 11/01/2004 instructing that the Amendment was filed with the USPTO on 11/01/2004. kgd 11/05/2004 Tim Williams sent letter dated 11/01/2004 instructing that the Amendment was filed with the USPTO on 11/01/2004. kgd 11/05/2004</p> <p><i>Details:</i></p> <p><i>Type:</i> PAT</p> <p><i>Nature:</i> 6 month</p> <p><i>Input date:</i> 20/SEP/2004</p> <p><i>Closed:</i> Yes</p> <p><i>Acknowledg.:</i> 01/NOV/2004</p>				

SCHEDULE

Period from 23/MAY/2005 to 23/MAY/2005

File	Event	Reminder	Due date	Performed
D50-0150 CN/RD	Extension		23/MAY/2005	05/JAN/2005
	<i>Comments:</i>	SAR instructed that this was performed on 01/05/2005. kgd 01/14/2005		
	<i>Details:</i>	Priority: 27-NOV-2001 - US - DP		
	<i>Type:</i>	PAT		
	<i>Nature:</i>	04		
	<i>Input date:</i>	30/JAN/2003		
	<i>Closed:</i>	Yes		
	<i>Acknowledg.:</i>	14/JAN/2005		
P10-0873 US/CNT1	OFFICE ACTION - 3 MTH		23/MAY/2005	
	<i>Comments:</i>	3 month Per AAC's email dated 8/21/05, France has decided that a response will not be filed. Joel Ribiere advised that this application can be abandoned (see email dated 8/1/05) - way 9/15/05		
	<i>Details:</i>	Priority: 03-AUG-1994 - FR - NP		
	<i>Type:</i>	PAT		
	<i>Nature:</i>	10/720319		
	<i>Input date:</i>	01/JUN/2005		
	<i>Closed:</i>	Yes		
	<i>Acknowledg.:</i>			
P50-0122 WO/PCT	CHAPTER 2		23/MAY/2005	
	<i>Comments:</i>			
	<i>Details:</i>	Priority: 23-OCT-2003 - US - NP		
	<i>Type:</i>	PAT		
	<i>Nature:</i>			
	<i>Input date:</i>	04/NOV/2004		
	<i>Closed:</i>	Yes		
	<i>Acknowledg.:</i>			
P50-0136 JP/NP	Miscellaneous		23/MAY/2005	19/MAY/2005
	<i>Comments:</i>	May 19, 2005 letter from D&M relaying translation submission deadline by May 23, 2005. sar 05/20/2005 05/19/2005 - AA responded to D&M regarding translation. way 6/15/05		
	<i>Details:</i>	Priority: 11-JUN-2002 - WO - PCT		
	<i>Type:</i>	PAT		
	<i>Nature:</i>	2005-84493		
	<i>Input date:</i>	20/MAY/2005		
	<i>Closed:</i>	Yes		
	<i>Acknowledg.:</i>			

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FILING RECEIPT	10/616315		06/AUG/2004	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Publication	US-2004-0074610-A1		22/APR/2004	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
OFFICE ACTION - 3 MTH	10/616315		03/AUG/2004	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
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Office action	1 month		21/OCT/2004	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Office action	6 month		21/MAR/2005	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
Miscellaneous			05/DEC/2005	<input type="checkbox"/>		

Main Workflow Awaiting letters

Event Miscellaneous

Reminder
Due date 05/DEC/2005

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Invoice method

Working time

Cost Information

Direction
Amount
Amount (USD)

Comments

A Notice of Abandonment was mailed by the USPTO on Oct. 5, 2005. EMR will petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment by 12/05/2005. sar 10/11/2005